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KENTUCKY LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES

Preliminary February 2019

AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS

U.S. Comparable Rate - 4.1%

	CLF	EMP	UNEMP	Feb 19	Jan 19	Feb 18
Statewide	2,057,073	1,969,384	87,689	4.3%	4.5%	5.0%
COUNTY						
BARREN RIVER	141,502	135,587	5,915	4.2%	4.3%	4.4%
ALLEN	8,942	8,561	381	4.3%	4.1%	4.1%
BARREN	19,020	18,152	868	4.6%	4.9%	5.1%
BUTLER	5,230	4,975	255	4.9%	5.1%	5.3%
EDMONSON	4,904	4,627	277	5.6%	5.9%	6.3%
HART	8,076	7,699	377	4.7%	4.5%	4.3%
LOGAN	12,624	12,141	483	3.8%	3.9%	4.3%
METCALFE	4,147	3,964	183	4.4%	4.4%	4.8%
MONROE	4,697	4,494	203	4.3%	4.2%	4.4%
SIMPSON	8,974	8,587	387	4.3%	3.9%	4.3%
WARREN	64,888	62,387	2,501	3.9%	4.0%	4.1%
BIG SANDY	42,659	39,845	2,814	6.6%	7.0%	7.4%
FLOYD	10,707	10,019	688	6.4%	6.8%	7.0%
JOHNSON	6,657	6,198	459	6.9%	7.4%	7.8%
MAGOFFIN	2,827	2,451	376	13.3%	14.3%	15.0%
MARTIN	2,729	2,549	180	6.6%	6.8%	6.6%
PIKE	19,739	18,628	1,111	5.6%	6.0%	6.4%
BLUEGRASS	415,525	400,473	15,052	3.6%	3.8%	4.0%
ANDERSON	11,914	11,494	420	3.5%	3.7%	4.0%
BOURBON	9,419	9,047	372	3.9%	4.2%	4.6%
BOYLE	12,551	11,987	564	4.5%	4.7%	4.9%
CLARK	17,125	16,458	667	3.9%	4.1%	4.6%
ESTILL	5,330	5,051	279	5.2%	5.5%	6.4%
FAYETTE	174,372	168,747	5,625	3.2%	3.3%	3.6%
FRANKLIN	24,990	24,070	920	3.7%	3.8%	4.0%
GARRARD	7,686	7,345	341	4.4%	4.8%	4.6%
HARRISON	8,717	8,349	368	4.2%	4.5%	4.4%
JESSAMINE	26,405	25,460	945	3.6%	3.8%	3.9%
LINCOLN	9,348	8,832	516	5.5%	5.7%	5.6%
MADISON	46,849	45,048	1,801	3.8%	3.8%	4.2%
MERCER	9,718	9,285	433	4.5%	4.8%	4.8%
NICHOLAS	3,242	3,101	141	4.3%	4.6%	4.9%
POWELL	4,909	4,621	288	5.9%	6.3%	6.9%
SCOTT	28,528	27,587	941	3.3%	3.5%	3.7%
WOODFORD	14,422	13,991	431	3.0%	3.1%	3.3%

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BUFFALO TRACE	22,786	21,272	1,514	6.6%	7.0%	6.9%
BRACKEN	3,886	3,657	229	5.9%	6.1%	5.9%
FLEMING	6,114	5,757	357	5.8%	5.9%	6.4%
LEWIS	4,731	4,270	461	9.7%	10.0%	9.9%
MASON	7,243	6,824	419	5.8%	6.4%	5.8%
ROBERTSON	812	764	48	5.9%	6.2%	6.3%
CUMBERLAND VALLEY	79,799	75,489	4,310	5.4%	5.6%	6.3%
BELL	8,448	7,956	492	5.8%	6.3%	7.0%
CLAY	5,200	4,849	351	6.8%	6.8%	7.3%
HARLAN	6,540	6,077	463	7.1%	7.3%	7.6%
JACKSON	4,057	3,792	265	6.5%	7.1%	8.1%
KNOX	10,059	9,495	564	5.6%	5.8%	6.9%
LAUREL	24,895	23,722	1,173	4.7%	4.9%	5.5%
ROCKCASTLE	6,673	6,354	319	4.8%	5.0%	5.8%
WHITLEY	13,927	13,244	683	4.9%	5.0%	5.5%
FIVCO	48,249	44,894	3,355	7.0%	7.7%	7.9%
BOYD	17,913	16,868	1,045	5.8%	6.3%	6.4%
CARTER	9,922	9,027	895	9.0%	10.1%	10.1%
ELLIOTT	2,044	1,881	163	8.0%	9.9%	11.2%
GREENUP	13,312	12,424	888	6.7%	7.5%	7.6%
LAWRENCE	5,058	4,694	364	7.2%	8.0%	8.1%
GATEWAY	33,724	31,680	2,044	6.1%	6.3%	7.5%
BATH	4,587	4,251	336	7.3%	7.6%	8.6%
MENIFEE	2,339	2,138	201	8.6%	8.8%	10.8%
MONTGOMERY	11,488	10,855	633	5.5%	5.9%	7.4%
MORGAN	4,479	4,190	289	6.5%	6.7%	8.4%
ROWAN	10,831	10,246	585	5.4%	5.4%	6.0%
GREEN RIVER	99,680	95,650	4,030	4.0%	4.2%	4.8%
DAVISS	47,645	45,831	1,814	3.8%	4.0%	4.5%
HANCOCK	4,053	3,892	161	4.0%	3.9%	4.7%
HENDERSON	22,277	21,438	839	3.8%	3.8%	4.1%
MCLEAN	4,201	4,009	192	4.6%	4.8%	5.7%
OHIO	9,771	9,251	520	5.3%	5.5%	6.8%
UNION	5,944	5,661	283	4.8%	4.7%	5.7%
WEBSTER	5,789	5,568	221	3.8%	3.9%	5.1%

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KENTUCKY RIVER	30,187	28,258	1,929	6.4%	6.8%	7.4%
BREATHITT	3,618	3,359	259	7.2%	7.8%	7.9%
KNOTT	4,399	4,099	300	6.8%	6.9%	7.6%
LEE	2,048	1,933	115	5.6%	5.8%	8.0%
LESLIE	2,606	2,451	155	5.9%	6.3%	7.6%
LETCHER	6,277	5,882	395	6.3%	7.1%	7.1%
OWSLEY	1,169	1,088	81	6.9%	7.4%	8.2%
PERRY	8,182	7,710	472	5.8%	6.1%	6.7%
WOLFE	1,888	1,736	152	8.1%	8.6%	8.4%
KIPDA	523,891	504,170	19,721	3.8%	4.0%	4.0%
BULLITT	42,439	40,731	1,708	4.0%	4.2%	4.2%
HENRY	8,126	7,818	308	3.8%	4.0%	4.2%
JEFFERSON	401,184	385,956	15,228	3.8%	4.0%	4.1%
OLDHAM	33,352	32,245	1,107	3.3%	3.4%	3.5%
SHELBY	24,836	23,984	852	3.4%	3.4%	3.8%
SPENCER	10,079	9,722	357	3.5%	3.6%	3.9%
TRIMBLE	3,875	3,714	161	4.2%	4.5%	4.6%
LAKE CUMBERLAND	81,670	77,510	4,160	5.1%	5.3%	5.8%
ADAIR	7,299	6,875	424	5.8%	5.8%	6.3%
CASEY	6,735	6,456	279	4.1%	4.3%	5.0%
CLINTON	3,891	3,650	241	6.2%	6.1%	6.2%
CUMBERLAND	3,098	2,937	161	5.2%	5.6%	5.8%
GREEN	5,043	4,822	221	4.4%	4.4%	4.2%
MCCREARY	4,614	4,329	285	6.2%	6.7%	7.1%
PULASKI	25,372	24,179	1,193	4.7%	5.0%	5.7%
RUSSELL	6,147	5,763	384	6.2%	6.6%	6.8%
TAYLOR	12,235	11,718	517	4.2%	4.3%	4.4%
WAYNE	7,236	6,781	455	6.3%	6.8%	8.1%
LINCOLN TRAIL	125,049	119,465	5,584	4.5%	4.6%	4.6%
BRECKINRIDGE	7,924	7,456	468	5.9%	5.9%	6.0%
GRAYSON	10,936	10,395	541	4.9%	5.1%	5.3%
HARDIN	49,203	47,215	1,988	4.0%	4.1%	4.4%
LARUE	6,075	5,798	277	4.6%	4.7%	4.8%
MARION	9,582	9,209	373	3.9%	4.0%	3.8%
MEADE	12,281	11,729	552	4.5%	4.7%	4.9%
NELSON	22,812	21,687	1,125	4.9%	5.2%	4.4%
WASHINGTON	6,236	5,976	260	4.2%	4.2%	3.8%

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NORTHERN KENTUCKY	243,102	234,288	8,814	3.6%	3.8%	4.0%
BOONE	71,003	68,571	2,432	3.4%	3.6%	3.8%
CAMPBELL	50,841	49,059	1,782	3.5%	3.8%	3.6%
CARROLL	5,226	5,003	223	4.3%	4.3%	4.9%
GALLATIN	4,064	3,892	172	4.2%	4.5%	4.6%
GRANT	11,793	11,236	557	4.7%	4.8%	5.1%
KENTON	88,046	84,956	3,090	3.5%	3.8%	3.9%
OWEN	5,057	4,794	263	5.2%	5.6%	4.5%
PENDLETON	7,072	6,777	295	4.2%	4.4%	5.1%
PENNYRILE	81,797	77,690	4,107	5.0%	5.1%	5.6%
CALDWELL	5,422	5,165	257	4.7%	5.0%	5.3%
CHRISTIAN	24,924	23,711	1,213	4.9%	5.0%	5.4%
CRITTENDEN	3,907	3,698	209	5.3%	5.6%	5.6%
HOPKINS	19,338	18,502	836	4.3%	4.3%	4.7%
LIVINGSTON	3,680	3,412	268	7.3%	7.7%	8.2%
LYON	3,007	2,844	163	5.4%	6.1%	6.3%
MUHLENBERG	10,177	9,532	645	6.3%	6.5%	7.1%
TODD	5,329	5,117	212	4.0%	3.9%	4.4%
TRIGG	6,013	5,709	304	5.1%	4.9%	5.7%
PURCHASE	87,455	83,114	4,341	5.0%	5.3%	5.9%
BALLARD	3,523	3,290	233	6.6%	6.9%	8.3%
CALLOWAY	18,610	17,817	793	4.3%	4.2%	4.6%
CARLISLE	2,312	2,208	104	4.5%	4.5%	6.0%
FULTON	2,006	1,897	109	5.4%	8.7%	6.3%
GRAVES	15,236	14,495	741	4.9%	5.0%	5.4%
HICKMAN	1,758	1,662	96	5.5%	5.7%	7.6%
MCCRACKEN	28,984	27,527	1,457	5.0%	5.4%	6.3%
MARSHALL	15,026	14,218	808	5.4%	5.7%	6.5%
BOWLING GREEN MSA	83,964	80,550	3,414	4.1%	4.2%	4.3%
ELIZABETHTOWN MSA	67,559	64,742	2,817	4.2%	4.3%	4.5%
LEXINGTON MSA	270,271	261,290	8,981	3.3%	3.5%	3.7%
LOUISVILLE MSA	673,193	647,419	25,774	3.8%	4.0%	4.0%
OWENSBORO MSA	55,899	53,732	2,167	3.9%	4.0%	4.6%

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